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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
0234-0467P

Application No.
10/629,684-Conf. #6551

Filing Date
July 30, 2003

Examiner
R. K. Chang

Art Unit
3729

Applicant(s): Junya HIRANO

Invention: METHOD FOR CONNECTING ELECTRONIC PARTS

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------|----------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid | Number Extra Claims Present | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 4 | - 20 = | | x | |
| Independent Claims | 1 | - 3 = | | x | |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within third month | | | | | 1,020.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: | | | | | 1,020.00 |

Large Entity

Small Entity

No additional fee is required for this amendment.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$ _____
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

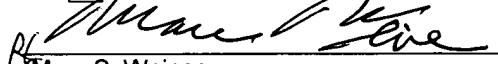
A check in the amount of \$ 1,020.00 is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 02-2448
as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Credit any overpayment.

Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.



Dated: March 13, 2006

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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL

For FY 2005

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 1,020.00)
Complete if Known

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| First Named Inventor | Junya HIRANO |
| Examiner Name | R. K. Chang |
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| Attorney Docket No. | 0234-0467P |

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): _____
 Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 02-2448 Deposit Account Name: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
 Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| <u>Application Type</u> | <u>FILING FEES</u> | | <u>SEARCH FEES</u> | | <u>EXAMINATION FEES</u> | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u> |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) | <u>Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> |
|--|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | | 360 | 180 |

| <u>Total Claims</u> | <u>Extra Claims</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> | <u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u> |
|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 4 | - 20 = | x | = | <u>Fee (\$)</u> <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> |

| <u>Indep. Claims</u> | <u>Extra Claims</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1 | - 3 = | x | = |

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

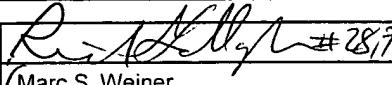
| <u>Total Sheets</u> | <u>Extra Sheets</u> | <u>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</u> | <u>Fee (\$)</u> | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> |
|---------------------|---------------------|---|-----------------|----------------------|
| | - 100 = | /50 (round up to a whole number) x | = | <u>Fee Paid (\$)</u> |

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1253 Extension for response within third month

1,020.00

| SUBMITTED BY | | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) | Telephone |
|---------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Signature |  #28,781 | 32,181 | (703) 205-8000 |
| Name (Print/Type) | Marc S. Weiner | Date | March 13, 2006 |